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The Honorable Wayne D. Brazil
Judge of the Northern District of California
Courtroom 4, 3rd Floor
Federal Courthouse
1301 Clay Street
Oakland, California

Re: Notice of request to withdraw as counsel of record
USA v. Norton et al
4:07-cr-683

My Client: Abraham Norton

Hearing: November 13, 2007
10 a.m.

Dear Judge Brazil:

After reviewing the unsealed indictment referenced above, I identified an irreconcilable conflict in my continued representation of Abraham. I must, perforce, advise this Honored Court and tender the above-referenced request.

I am guided by the dictates of Rule 44-2(b) as it impacts my situation; as a consequence, I will continue to represent Abraham until the entry of a court order granting leave to withdraw.

Thanking you in advance for your courtesy and consideration in this matter, I remain,

yours truly,

Michael Patrick Moore
Attorney at Law

cc: Abraham Norton